

MUSIC SELECTIONS: August 18, 2019
 ENTRANCE HYMN 539
 PREPARATION HYMN 575
 COMMUNION HYMN 528
 RECESSIONAL HYMN 683

PSALM 40: 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C



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***It is the tradition of the church not to exit before the final hymn has been sung.**

9:00 AM – Children’s Sending: May your holy word take root in them (us). May your holy word bear fruit in them (us). Plant your word within them (us), so that they (we) may grow.

**MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK OF
 AUGUST 17TH THROUGH AUGUST 25TH, 2019**

If you are having a Mass offered, please contact an usher before Mass and let them know you would like to bring up the gifts.

8-17	4:00 PM	Carmine Isabella – The Family
8-18	9:00 AM	Anthony Perrone (18 th Anniversary) – His Daughters Thomas Gatta – Fred & Helen Pepper
8-19	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
8-20	9:00 AM	Mass at Immaculate Conception
8-21	7:30 AM	Mass
8-22	7:30 AM	Antonio Lauria – Remo & Isabella
8-23	7:30 AM	Mass
8-24	4:00 PM	Tom Gatta – The Leffler Family James Kelly – Marian O’Connor
8-25	9:00 AM	John O’Leary – The Marx Family Kenny Gatta – Remo & Isabella Schiavone

LITURGICAL MINISTERS - AUGUST 24TH AND 25TH, 2019

	4:00 PM	9:00 AM
LECTOR	M. Ryan	K. Burke
CUP 1	J. Masi	H. Burke
CUP 2	R. Kruk	A. Seaver
BREAD 1	Celebrant	Celebrant
BREAD 2	B. Corlew	L. DeSieno
BREAD 3	K. Brooks	A. DeSieno
BREAD 4	Deacon	Deacon
CUP 3	D. Kruk	A. Schnore
CUP 4	M. Boniewski	P. Johnson
SERVER	TBD	E. Higgins
SERVER		R. Higgins
GREETER	S. Sarnowski	L. & C. Hall

FINANCIAL STATISTICS 8/5-8/11/19

OFFERTORY	3140.53	ENVELOPE USERS	134
CHILDREN	0.00	ATTENDANCE	324
DEBT REDUCTION	85.00		
ASSUMPTION	315.00		
TOTAL INCOME	3270.53	TOTAL EXPENSES	\$7,254.24*

*Some larger expenses include: P/R & Taxes \$5,220/National Grid \$1,164/Health Ins. \$720

Next weekend’s second collection will be the Diocesan collection for **Catholic Home Missions**. Your generosity is greatly appreciated.



Remember in your prayers those members of our parish who are sick or suffering in any way, as well as those in hospitals and nursing homes and all of our shut-ins. We also pray for family, friends and those who have died recently. We also pray for men and women in our armed forces who are serving our country.

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	The Week Ahead
Tues. 8/20	City Mission - 5 PM - CM

Volunteer Opportunity- City Mission Evening Meal

Ten volunteers are needed to help serve the Community Evening Meal at City Mission, 512 Smith Street, on Tuesday, August 20, 2019. The start time is 5 pm and concludes at 7:00 pm. To volunteer, please sign up using this link: <https://citymissionofschenectady.volunteerhub.com/lp/stjoes> by August 15. Children (age 10 and older) are welcome to serve. Be sure to bring a hat and please wear sneakers. Questions/concerns? Contact Kathy Brooks on 518-280-1478 or email brookska@nycap.rr.com. Hope to see you there!

Calling all to God's Goodness

Rite of Christian Initiation adapted for Children and Teens:

- Do you know an unbaptized child (7 to 10 years of age) or a pre-teen – teen (11 – 18 years of age) who would like to be baptized?
- Do you know of a baptized teen or child 6 years or older who wishes to prepare for First Reconciliation and/or First Communion?
- Do you know a child, teen or adult with special needs or learning differences who desires to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation and/or First Holy Communion?

We are committed to seeing that our Faith Formation and Sacrament Preparation reaches out to EVERYONE!!! REGISTRATION HAS BEGUN! Please contact Roberta Quinn, Faith Formation or Grace Fay, Youth Minister, with questions about the above.



Bottle Collection – The NCYC Participants are collecting returnable bottles as part of their fundraising efforts. To help with this fundraiser you can either drop your returnable bottles at OLG or drop at the Creating Change Redemption Center on Route 50 (Just tell them you are dropping them off for OLG or St. Joseph's Church).



Please wish Domenico and Teresa Piria a Happy Fiftieth Wedding anniversary. They will be renewing their vows at the 4 PM mass on Saturday.

Happy Anniversary!!



2019 Bishop's Appeal Update: **207** Pledges and/or Gifts totaling **\$52,290**. An additional **\$11,826** is needed to meet our assessment of **\$64,116**. Pledges, gifts or payments may be made online at www.TheBishopsAppeal.org.



Anyone who would like to donate school supplies, please place them in the "Food Donation" collection box in Holy Family Hall and we will distribute them to our local food pantry in Scotia. Donations of new or "gently used" backpacks would also be most welcomed.



Please mark your calendar for **Friday, September 20th** at **6:30 pm** (please note change in time) when we will bid Fr.

Peter a fond farewell and wish him the best on his well-deserved retirement at The Terrace at The Waters Edge Lighthouse in Glenville. Watch for details being mailed this week to all registered parishioners.



Faith Formation Notes

If you have not received a copy of the registration forms for the 2019 – 2020 formation year in the mail, please send an email to quinnr@nycap.rr.com. Registration forms are also

available on our website at www.stjosephschurchscotia.net/.

If you are registering your child for the first time, we will need a copy of his/her baptismal certificate.